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SUBJECT.

Question of registration of under Act XXV of 1867 of the books printed at and issued from the Govt Press, as official publications

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FILE HEADING.

Catalogue of books registered in the State under Act XXV of 1867

From

The Registrar of Authorised Publications

No. 69 Dated 24.6.11 Received 27.6.11

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Brings to notice that all publications issued from the several printing presses (private) are being registered under Act XXV of 1867 and included in the quarterly catalogues but that books printed at and issued from the Govt Presses are not so registered and requests to be informed whether there is any specific ~~NOTES AND ORDERS.~~ reason as to why this should be so.

Notes and Orders

The place of printing of a publication does not at all really matter for purposes of registration under Act XXV of 1867; it is the nature of the publication

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that counts. All private publications should be registered irrespective of the press at which they are printed. But Govt publications, publications printed for official purposes, almanacs, price lists and certain other classes of public are exempted* from the provisions of the Act. The publications mentioned in the Supdt's letter appear to be either Govt publications or publications intended for official purposes; the exemptions hence they are not registered. The matter may however be made clear by consulting Branches I and IV. But in all such publications it is necessary to indicate, on the titlepage by some such entry as in the margin, the fact that they are Govt publications or intended for official purposes; so that all possible misconceptions may be removed as to the nature of the publications, their registration under Act XXV of 1867 &c. This is not being done at present in the case of some Govt publications, such as midwifery &c (Vide copy put up).

(2) As regards the other point raised by the Registrar of N. P., Viz, that

* by rules framed under sec 21 of the Act. If so, please put up Copy of the rules. kg 3.7.11

Vide routine note below by Mr. Mackenzie and Notns. Nos. 1294 of 12.3.1868 and 5604 of 21st Dec. 1871.

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"Publication of the mysore Govt in the ——— deptt"

"Publication intended for official purposes"

OR

Coat of Arms. Govt of mysore ——— deptt.

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the fact of their non-registry ~~of~~ the publications in question cannot find a place, like 'registered' publications, in the British Museum and India Office Libraries, it may be pointed out that the mere fact of registration of a publication and inclusion of its name in the quarterly catalogue does not lead to ~~any~~ such publication being sent to the said Libraries. Requisition for publications included in the ~~Today~~ Catalogue of Books and the Catalogue of Oriental Library Publications are occasionally received from the Librarians of the said libraries and it is only on such requisitions any books are sent. All publications do not find a place in the Libraries mentioned above.

(3) There is no doubt the disadvantage of the authorities of the British Museum & the India Office Libraries not knowing the ~~Public~~ fact of ~~Public~~ issue of publications not included in the two catalogues referred to; and this prevents such publications finding their way to the libraries in question. ~~Occasions of the facts that the issue of the [illegible] publications are not ascertained by~~

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(4) ~~Date of publication~~ It is a point for consideration if in view of the importance and usefulness of the ~~[illegible]~~ publication mentioned by the Supdt it is necessary to adopt any means of advertising Govt publications such as those referred to. They are now advertised in the Govt Gazette

Sd/- (for) Chs.
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(5) The Gazette of India Notn no 1254 S 12th March 1868 exempts all books, maps, sketches, charts & papers printed or published under orders of Govt or for official purposes from the provisions of Act XXV of 1867. The Regr of Authorised publications recommend that some of the useful books printed at the Govt Press may also be registered in his office and included in the quarterly catalogue of publications. Such a procedure will no doubt lead to a wider advertisement of the books by securing to them a larger no. of readers.

But it appears to me also necessary to make a distinction as to the books that may be with advantage be so registered & included in the Quarterly Catalogue & those that may not be so registered. It would, I submit, be sufficient if only such of those books printed at the Govt Press as are placed at the disposal of the Curator for sale

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be ordered to be registered in the office of Regr of Authorised Publications & included in the Quarterly Catalogue.

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Secy).

(b) Yes - Subsp draft - orly

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(7) Draft G.O. subs. (with the words "Govt. Press" used for "books printed at the Govt. Press").

(8) If the procedure indicated in the draft comes into effect, the quarterly return of Oriental Library Pubns prescribed in G.O. no 600/Gen 2140-05-23 of 26.7.06 may be discontinued. If apld. the D.G. of Edn & the J.A. Resident will be informed accordingly after the issue of the oft. pubn

(9) two notfns seems to have been issued by the Govt. embodying the contents of the notfns of the Govt of India no 1294 of 12.3.1868 & no 5604 of 21.12.1871. Perhaps this opportunity may be availed of to issue a notfn exempting the pubns mentioned in the latter and books, maps, sketches, charts and papers printed for purely official purposes. If necessary,

Why? Yes may be sent as usual - JC T. 11/7/11

Under a note of 13.7.11. by Br III. (routine note for an Extra Asst).

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Br III may be consulted on this point.
(10) It is also a point for orders whether Govt Putlers may not be ordered to be distinguished by some such superscriptions as have been suggested in para 1 of the preceding note

Br (12) Secy.
29.7.11 // Branch III for favour of a note on para 9 above

Rec'd 31-7-11

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SIV(11)
1.8.11 12 Forwarded to the Govt Advocate in Mysore for favour of his opinion

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Shivanniah
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U.O.6. 7-8-11

Notification No 1294 dated 12-3-1868 of the Govt of India, if specifically applied to Mysore State, would, under art 19 of the Instrument of Transfer continue to be in force in the Mysore State, unless superseded by a subsequent notification issued under Section 21 of act XXV

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of 1867. Seeing that Govt publications have not hitherto been registered it may fairly be presumed that the notification in question had been applied to the Mysore state. If however the Secretariat are unable to trace any such notification it would seem desirable to issue a notification exempting such classes of publications from registration as Govt may deem fit.

Edwardes
5-8-1911. for Govt advocate

Rec 8/8.

Subd
SW(11)
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14 I am of the same opinion.

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15 To Mr V

Please put up a draft notification as suggested by the Govt Advr

Rm.
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16 Draft notfn: subd: embodying the substance of the 1st notfn of the Govt of India but excluding Official publns made available for sale.

V3 (125) Orders are solicited on paras 8 & 10 abo. 15-8-11 hms.

17 The two drafts put up may be approved. If they are approved the Quarterly Return of oriental Library Publications becomes superfluous as suggested in para 8 of the note and action will be separately taken thereon.

18 There does not appear to be any necessity for adopting a distinguishing mark for Govt Publications as suggested in para 10 of the office nd

Secy/ 19 Please go through the Gazettes for a few years after 1868 & find out whether the notn Dep in question has been extended & impose a not

(20) The Notifications of the Govt of India (referred to above) of 1868 and 1871 have been published in the Supplt Gazette of the 28th March 1868 (Page 941) and of the 6th Jany 1872 (Page 313)

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are re-published for general information' in the case of the Not[n] of 1871

with the remark "the following Not[ns] of the Govt of India are published for inform[n]"

(21) Thus it will be seen that the Not[ns] in question have been merely re-published (in part I); there is nothing to show whether they have been "specifically applied to Mysore State" or not. All the same, they have been considered to be applicable to the Mysore State in practice all these years. If, however, it is decided to publish the Sft Not[n] (now on the file) in the Gazette, it is a point for consideration whether it is advisable to issue the Not[n] after the lapse of about 38 years.

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6.11.11

(22) The publication in the Mysore Gazette of the Govt. of India Not[ns] of 1868 and 1871 may be held to amount, virtually, to an application of the said Not[ns] to the Mysore State. At any rate, they have all along been acted upon, as having effect. It is also believed that there are many other similar cases in which a mere

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of Govt of India notification
republication in the State Gazette during the
period prior to the Rendition, has been held
to have similar effect. In more circum-
stances a fresh notice at this distance of
time appears unnecessary.

(23) Matters may, I think, be kept as
they are now. Govt publications are now
exempt from registration as in British India,
and no really useful Object is served by
making a distinction among such publications
and exempting a particular class or classes only
from registration. All publications of Govt
which are intended to be made available
for sale to the public, are duly advertised
by the Govt Book Depot, and at the
offices of Agency for the sale of such
books. Nothing more seems to be
required.

Secretary,

13.11.11.

Keep till Secy's
return from Delhi
for
17.11.11

(24) The matter may be dropped.
The Object of registration is to have
evidence of publisher & printer & there
is clear enough in the case of Govt publica

(25) 2nd Cr of Decision)
I agree.

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(21) Subd ~~for advice as to whether a reply is not to be given to the letter and, if so, in what te~~ with a draft for a

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Issue

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15 To The Registrar of Authorised Publications.

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States that no change as proposed by him in 8/12 appears to be necessary.

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OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF AUTHORIZED
PUBLICATIONS IN MYSORE.

Dated Bangalore, 24th J U N E 1911.

FROM

C. H. YATES, ESQ., Jun 1913-10-12

REGISTRAR OF AUTHORIZED PUBLICATIONS IN MYSORE,
BANGALORE.

To

C. S. BALASUNDARAM AIYAR, Esq., B. A.,
Offg. Secretary to Government, Genl & Rev Deptts,
B A N G A L O R E.

SIR,

I have the honor to state that all publications issued from the various printing Presses in Mysore are being registered in this Office and included in the quarterly Catalogue of Publications; but those that are printed and issued from the Government Presses are not so registered, and to request to be kindly informed whether there is any specific reason as to why this should be so. All books that are registered are being forwarded to the British Museum, and the India Office Libraries in London, and it is a wonder why some of the most useful publications that are printed in the Government Press, such as, Midwifery, Pasuvaidya Sangraha, Mr. Bhabha's report on Manual training, Col: Smyth's "Notes on Japan", Dr. Smeeth's Geological Reports, Dr.Coleman's Bulletins ~~&c.~~, and ~~other~~ some School Books of importance should not also find a place there.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

C. H. Yates.

Registrar of Authorized
Publications in Mysore.

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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To

The Registrar of
Authorized Publications
in Mysore

Date of issue 15. 5. 12

Signed by Hr. B. RamaSwamaiya

Sir,

With reference to
your letter no. 69
of 24th June 1911
enquiring whether Govern-
-ment publications
should not also be
registered like privat
publications and
included in the Q...

over.

SUBJECT.

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terly catalogue of publications, I am directed to state that no change as proposed by you appears to be necessary, since the object of registration is to have evidence of the publisher and printer and this evidence is clear enough in the case of Govt publications.

I have etc

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